

Mar. 31.] OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES. 609

Eve Margaret Jordan, late of Shenandoah county, in the State of Virginia, so far as relates to the real estate therein mentioned, in Frederick county, in the State of Maryland,

Were severally taken up for consideration, read the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Ely submitted the following message, which was read, assented to, and with the resolution therein mentioned sent to the senate.

By the House of Delegates,
March 31, 1836.

Gentlemen of the senate,

We herewith return to your honorable body the resolution respecting the Baltimore and Port Deposit Rail Road, and in as much as this house, after a long and careful examination of all the facts in the case, have deemed it expedient to direct the institution of legal proceedings against the said Baltimore and Port Deposit Rail Road Company, as recommended by the said resolution, for the protection of the rights and interests of the citizens of Baltimore and Harford counties, as well as that of all the other citizens of this State, so far as regards the free navigation of the navigable waters of said counties, We therefore respectfully ask that you will reconsider and pass said resolution,

By order

G. G. BREWER, Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of yesterday, being the bill reported by him as chairman of the committee on ways and means, entitled, an act to provide ways and means to complete the works of internal improvement, and to promote the agriculture, commerce and manufactures of this State,

On motion of Mr. Merrick, said bill was amended by inserting as the 12th section thereof, the following,

"And be it enacted, That no commissioner or agent shall be authorised to receive any money whatever on account of said loan offices, but all monies shall be paid to the treasurer of the shore on which the same is due, and all monies collected by any sheriff shall be by said sheriff paid into the treasury of the Shore where the same is due."

On motion of Mr. Merrick, said bill was further amended by inserting after the word 'act,' in the 13th section, 29th line, the following,

"And the faith of the State is hereby pledged for the payment, as well of the principal as the interest on the said